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MARYLAND GAZETTE.

THURSDAY, MARCH 1, 1798.

In COUNCIL, Annapolis, January 23, 1798.

ORDERED, That the act to appoint an agent for the year one thousand seven hundred and ninety-eight, be published in the Maryland Gazette, at Annapolis, the Federal Gazette, at Baltimore, the Herald, at Easton, and in one of the George-town and Frederick-town papers, once in each week for the term of eight weeks.

By order,

NINIAN PINKNEY, Clerk of the Council of the state of Maryland.

An ACT to appoint an agent for the year one thousand seven hundred and ninety-eight.

BE *it enacted, by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That William Marbury be agent of this state, to execute the trust and power reposed in him by virtue of this act, from the first day of January, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-eight, until the first day of January, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-nine.

II. *And be it enacted*, That the said agent superintend the collection of all arrearages and balances due from the several collectors of the respective counties within this state, appointed since the first day of January, seventeen hundred and eighty-three; and the said agent is hereby authorized and required to call upon the treasurers of the respective shores for an accurate statement of all arrearages and balances due from such collectors, and such accounts shall be furnished by the said treasurers accordingly.

III. *And be it enacted*, That the said agent be authorized to superintend the collection of balances due to the state on the auditor's books, or on open account; and the said agent shall have power to require payment of, and, if necessary, to sue for and recover the same; and the said agent, with the approbation of the governor and council, may make composition with any such debtors, and take bonds to the state, with sufficient security, and give time for payment, not exceeding two years from the first day of January, seventeen hundred and ninety-eight.

IV. *And be it enacted*, That the said agent be authorized to superintend the collection of all monies due to the state for naval duties, fines, penalties, forfeitures and amerciaments, and forfeited recognizances, and for ordinary, retailers and marriage licences, and to require payment, and, if necessary, sue for and recover the same; and the said agent may allow for insolvencies, and credit any money that the party is not chargeable with by law, and for his information of the law, he may take the advice of the attorney-general in writing.

V. *And be it enacted*, That whenever there shall be occasion to expose to public sale the property of any collector, or his securities, by virtue of any execution already issued, or to be issued for this purpose, the said agent shall cause at least thirty days public notice to be given of such sale, and shall attend the same, and if it shall appear that there is danger of losing any part of the debt due to the state, and not otherwise, shall purchase any property so exposed to sale for the use of the state, in payment, or part payment, as the case may be, of the arrearages due by the collectors whose property may be so purchased, and that no purchase authorised by this act shall be considered as made on the part of the state, unless a public declaration to that effect be made by the agent, or his deputy, immediately after such sale and purchase; and any property so purchased for the use of the state, the said agent may again expose to public auction on the most advantageous terms, for the use of the state, and if the same be sold on credit, which shall in no case exceed the term of two years, the said agent shall take bond, with good and sufficient security, to be approved of by the treasurer of the western shore, from the purchasers of such property, and all bonds by him so taken shall be deposited, with an accurate list thereof subscribed by him, in the treasury of the western shore, and shall be a lien upon the real property of such purchasers, and their securities, from the respective dates, or so much thereof as is mentioned in the schedule thereto annexed.

VI. *And be it enacted*, That the said agent is hereby directed to dispose of all confiscated British property that remains unsold, and take bonds to the state, with sufficient security, and give time for the payment thereof, not exceeding two years from the first day of January, one thousand seven hundred and ninety eight, and that where the quantity of land in any one body, subject to such sale exceeds the quantity of fifty acres, such land shall be disposed of at public sale, of the time and place of which sale at least thirty days previous notice shall be given by public advertisement; and that at the time of any sale by virtue of this act, the said agent shall make known that he only sells the right of this state thereto, and that the state doth not guaranty the title to the same, or any part thereof, but that the purchase must be on all respects at the risk of the purchaser.

VII. *And be it enacted*, That no payment in future by any officer or person indebted to the state shall be valid and effectual, unless made to the treasurer of the western or eastern shore, or to the agent for the time being, or unless made to the clerks and sheriffs of the several counties, in the cases where the said clerks and sheriffs are by law authorized to receive the same.

VIII. *And be it enacted*, That the agent shall have full power and authority by and with the advice of the governor and council, in all cases of unsatisfied debts, to take such real property hereafter purchased by any person or persons, and his securities, who may be capable of paying the same, and to compound the same upon such terms and principles of equity and justice, by and with the advice and consent aforesaid; and the agent is hereby required to lay a particular statement of his proceedings under this section before the next session of assembly.

IX. *And be it enacted*, That the agent, with the approbation and consent of the governor and council, be and he is hereby authorized and empowered to compromise any suit depending in chancery with any state debtor, upon any terms in their judgment calculated to promote the interest of the state, and to obtain the speedy receipt of the sums due.

X. *And be it enacted*, That if, under the terms of any compromise made as aforesaid, the property heretofore purchased should be taken back and resulted in the state, the same may be sold by the agent, and he is hereby authorised and empowered to sell the same at public sale, giving thirty days notice, on a credit of two years, payable one half of the principal and the whole interest, annually, on the first day of December in each year, and the bonds, when taken, shall be returned to the treasury of the western shore, and reported to the general assembly at their session next ensuing the taking of such bonds.

XI. *And be it enacted*, That all cases in chancery, where no compromise under this act is effected, shall be placed under the direction of the agent, who is hereby authorized and required to call on the attorney-general to prosecute or defend the same to immediate final decision; and the governor and council are hereby authorized and empowered, at the request of the agent, in cases of difficulty, to aid the attorney-general, by employing any person to attend to surveys where necessary, or otherwise to assist in the prosecution or defence of said suits, which person or persons are to be paid out of the contingent fund of five hundred pounds; and the names of the persons so employed, together with the sum allowed for their services, to be laid before the general assembly at their next session.

XII. *And be it enacted*, That if any bond debtor to the state for confiscated property purchased, or otherwise, shall neglect to make payment agreeably to the condition of his bond, and sundry resolves of the general assembly, the said agent shall cause process to issue for the whole principal and interest then due, or shall proceed on any execution already issued, and served and suspended, as occasion may require, or, under the direction and with the approbation of the governor and council, he is hereby authorised to delay any execution as long as they may think expedient and necessary.

XIII. *And be it enacted*, That the said agent be authorised to superintend the collection of all balances due on bond taken for taxes due before the first day of January, seventeen hundred and eighty-three; and the said agent shall also superintend the collection of all balances due on bonds installed, or otherwise, for the emissions of paper money of seventeen hundred and fifty-nine, and seventeen hundred and seventy-three.

XIV. *And be it enacted*, That no process shall issue against any of the public debtors, unless by the direction of the said agent.

XV. *And be it enacted*, That the said agent shall have power to fix such days of sale of property taken by *fieri facias*, at the suit of the state, as he may think proper, always taking care to give at least twenty days public notice thereof; and the said agent shall also have power to suspend the sales, from time to time, as he may think most to the advantage of the state.

XVI. *And be it enacted*, That the said agent shall pay into the treasury, in specie, the amount of all specie by him received in the discharge of the duties of this act.

XVII. *And be it enacted*, That in all cases where bonds shall be taken in virtue of this act, the bonds shall be a lien on all the real property of the obligors from the date thereof, or on so much of the said real property as the governor and council shall think sufficient, to be particularly mentioned in a schedule to be annexed to the said bond, in which case it shall be a lien on the property contained in such schedule, and no more, such bond and schedule to be lodged with the treasurer of the western shore.

XVIII. *And be it enacted*, That all bonds taken in virtue of this act shall express the county in which the obligors respectively reside, and the treasurer of the western shore shall, within one month after he receives them respectively, cause them, with the schedule annexed to them, to be recorded in the office of the clerk of the general court of the western shore, at the expence of the obligors, and a copy of the said record, certified under the hand and official seal of the said clerk, shall be as good evidence in any court of law or equity in this state as the original bond would be if it was produced; and if any of the obligors in any such bonds reside on the eastern shore, the said treasurer shall, within six months from the time he receives the same respectively, transmit to the clerk of the general court of the eastern shore, in the same manner as papers on public service are transmitted, a copy of such bonds and schedules, certified as aforesaid by the clerk of the general court of the western shore, to be recorded in the office of the clerk of the general court of the eastern shore, at the expence of the obligors, and in such case a copy of the said record, certified as aforesaid by the clerk of the general court of the eastern shore, shall be good evidence as aforesaid.

XIX. *And be it enacted*, That the said agent shall render to the treasurer of the western shore distinct quarterly accounts of his receipts of all money, certificates and bonds, in virtue of this act, and shall immediately thereupon pay and deliver the same to the said treasurer, who shall, in his annual report to the general assembly, state distinctly and particularly the monies, certificates and bonds, by him received from the said agent, and the terms upon which the same were received and accounted for.

XX. *And be it enacted*, That the said agent shall render a fair and full account of his several proceedings under the authority of this act to the general assembly at their next session, and within the first ten days after its commencement, in which account shall be specified, under distinct heads, his own receipts, and those of the treasurer, and of all transfers of stock upon which he may be entitled to commission, and in which shall also be contained a particular estimate of his commissions, shewing how and upon what the same arose due.

XXI. *And be it enacted*, That the said agent shall be allowed for his services the following commissions, to wit, for all payments actually made to either of the treasurers in virtue of this act, three per cent. and for all bonds with security taken by the said agent in virtue of this act, three per cent. provided that the whole amount of his commission shall not exceed five hundred pounds current money, and he shall lay an account of the same, on oath, before the next session of assembly.

XXII. *And be it enacted*, That hereafter it shall be the duty of the agent, and the treasurers of the western and eastern shores respectively, to receive, as well the fifteen per cent. interest, if any shall have accrued, as all other the arrearages that are now, or may hereafter become due from fines, forfeitures and amerciaments, ordinary, retailers, marriage, hawkers and pedlers licences, and which fifteen per cent. so collected, shall be the only fund out of which the agent shall draw his commission of three per cent. for collecting the same; provided that the said agent shall not be entitled to any commission upon the monies arising from fines, forfeitures, amerciaments, ordinary, retailers, marriage, hawkers and pedlers licences, unless in cases where the same shall not be paid by the sheriffs and clerks respectively, to the treasurer within one month after the time prescribed by law, and unless the said agent shall thereafter receive the same from the said officers respectively, and the same pay to the said treasurer.

XXIII. *And be it enacted*, That the said agent, before he enters upon the execution of the duties of this act, shall give bond to the state, before the governor and council, in the penalty of sixty thousand dollars, with such security as the governor and council shall approve, for the faithful performance of the said duties, which bond shall be lodged with the treasurer of the western shore, and shall also take an oath before the chancellor, that he will well and faithfully discharge the duties as agent under the act, entitled, An act to appoint an agent for the year one thousand seven hundred and ninety-eight, to the best of his skill and judgment, the certificate of which oath shall be annexed to, or endorsed on, the said bond.

XXIV. *And be it enacted*, That if the said agent shall not accept his appointment, or if after his acceptance he shall not give bond, and take the oath aforesaid, before the first day of February next, or shall die, the governor and council are hereby authorised and requested to appoint a fit and proper person in his place, who shall have and execute all the authorities and powers vested in the said William Marbury by this act, such person first giving security, and taking the oath aforesaid.

NOTICE TO STATE DEBTORS.

PROCESS will certainly be directed against all delinquent state debtors who fail to make their payments by the 10th day of March next.

WILLIAM MARBURY, Agent.

PARIS, *December* 6.

THE three months of the presidency of Reveillier Lepeaux being expired, Barras is declared president in his stead.

The following persons have been arrested on a charge of being implicated in a royalist conspiracy, discovered by the minister of the police.

Noel, inspector of the police under Cochon; Malieu of Calais, already implicated in the affair of Duran and Brothier, Moreus, Pollet, Dupont, Fontaine, Chouian, Filliot, Francois, formerly advocate at Macon, and a female named Poitiere, with her brothers.

What is as yet known of this conspiracy does not afford a very clear or distinct idea of it. The conspirators are said to be accomplices of those philanthropic societies mentioned in the papers that were printed at the epoch of the 18th Fructidor. Their means of counter-revolution were the management of the approaching elections, so as to *royalize* them, and exclude the republicans. All the persons arrested are confined in the Temple.

December 7.

The day before Buonaparte arrived at Rastadt, he went to pay a visit to general Augereau at Offenburg.

We are just informed that he arrived at Paris last night about 10 o'clock. He will receive his solemn audience the next decadi in the palace of Luxemburg. A grand dinner will be given on that day to the corps diplomatic and the presidents of the constituted authorities; afterwards there will be a ball at the Odeon.

A great part of the army of Italy has returned to France.

Bernadotti is appointed commander of the army to be assembled on the coast near Dunkirk.

December 8.

News arrivals have taken place in consequence of the numerous conspiracies and murders discovered within these few days past. We are assured that several bankers

and ſome perſons of conſequence are among theſe perſons. The government has taken on itſelf the exclusive care of theſe gueſts, but the details remain unknown.

Orders have been given to reſign Mentz to the troops of the republic. This ceſſion leads us to preſume with certainty that there exiſts in the treaty of Campo Formio a ſecret article, by virtue of which the left bank of the Rhine, with the exception of the Pruſſian poſſeſſions, for which we are to treat on friendly terms with the cabinet of Berlin, will be abandoned to the French republic.

They write from the frontiers of Holland, that the new king of Pruſſia is making great preparations, and that the Heſſian troops have been put upon the footing of war.

December 9.

Buonaparte alighted not at the Luxenburg, as has been ſaid, but at his own houſe. He was accompanied by Berthier and Championet. The firſt perſon whom he received was Barras, who on that very evening paſſed ſeveral hours with him.

On the 7th Buonaparte, after having had an interview with Talleyrand, at the office of the miniſter of foreign affairs, repaired with him to the houſe of Barras, whither he went to meet the preſident of the Directory and his friend. He had afterwards a conference of more than two hours with the members of the Directory, aſſembled at the place of their ſitting.

Yeſterday the 8th, he waited on all the miniſters in the adminiſtration of the departments in the Place de Vendome, where he was complimented by the ex-conventionaliſt Matthieu, the commiſſary of the Directory.

The tribunal de caſſation delegated ſeveral of their members to wait on him, and theſe he received with marks of diſtinction.

The Rue Chantereine, which he inhabits, is almoſt as ſolitary as uſual. He has determined to ſee very few people, and ſtill more not to make himſelf cheap. In order to avoid the general enthuſiaſm, he ſhuns all frequented places.

General Joubert, who bears the colours of the army of Italy, arrived yeſterday in this city.

Madame Buonaparte will arrive in two or three days.

Buonaparte has already declared that he will ſet off for Raſtadt on the 16th inſtant.

December 10.

Letters from Hamburg ſpeak of an offenſive and defenſive alliance as on the point of being concluded between Pruſſia and Ruſſia.

The Spaniſh conſul at Lyons has given notice to perſons trading, as well by ſea as by land, to Spain, that henceforward they will be obliged to make oath before him that the merchandiſes which they ſhip for exportation, are not of Engliſh manufacture, and that then he will deliver them a certificate to enter Spain.

We are aſſured that the number of priſoners in the Temple amounts to 98.

The Batavian convention has reſolved not to exact of the public functionaries the oath of hatred to the ſtadtholderſhip, ariſtocracy and anarchy. This oath was rejected by a great majority.

December 11.

The Directory publiſhed, on the 9th inſtant, the following arret:

The Executive Directory, conſidering that the peace concluded with the emperor demands new diſtributions of the forces of the republic, reſolves proviſionally as follows:

Art. 1. General Berthier, chief of the ſtaff of the army of Italy, is appointed general in chief of the ſaid army. He is peculiarly charged with directing the operations reſulting from the treaty of Campo Formio, and the movements of evacuation, which are the conſequences thereof.

The military diviſions of the army of the Interior, formerly ſubjected to the command of the general in chief of the army of Italy, form no longer a part of that army.

2. The army of Germany ſhall be divided into two armies; one ſhall be called the the Army of the Rhine, and the other the Army of Mentz.

3. The Army of the Rhine ſhall be compoſed of that part of the actual army of Germany which is now placed in the departments of Mont Terrible, of the Upper and Lower Rhine, and in the oppoſite poſitions on the right banks of the Rhine.

General Angereau is appointed general in chief of this army.

4. The Army of Mentz ſhall conſiſt of the remainder of the actual army of Germany, which occupies at preſent the conquered provinces on the right and left banks of the Rhine. General Hatry is appointed general in chief of that army. He is particularly charged with directing the military operations relative to the occupation of Mentz, and to the execution of the treaty of Campo Formio.

5. The corps which is in the territory of the Batavian republic ſhall remain under the orders of the general of diviſion who commands it.

6. General Buonaparte is to take upon himſelf the command of the army of England, as ſoon as his diplomatic miſſion reſpecting the execution of the treaty of Campo Formio ſhall be terminated. In the meanwhile, citizen Deſaix ſhall command that army as general in chief.

7. The preſent arret ſhall be printed in the bulletin of the laws. The miniſter at war is charged with its execution.

P. BARRAS, Preſident.
LAGARDE, Sec. General.

BOSTON, *February* 14.

In the Sun, publiſhed at Dover, New-Hampſhire, we read with pleaſure, the following remark, ſuppoſing a paragraph in a late London paper, reſpecting the reception of our envoys at Paris, by the Directory; to the ſame effect, mentioning that they had been politely received by the miniſter of foreign affairs:—That is half the thing. Half and half—I will and I won't.—The plan of the French is not to declare war openly, nor abſolutely ſay that they will not receive ambaſſadors from America; but to keep us in a ſtate of uncertainty, and to throw out now and then a wheedling expreſſion towards the people of America, which will furniſh their faction with arguments for procraſtinating all meaſures of defence. This they will keep doing until they have made peace with England, and then good by to the union of the American ſtates.

From the Boſton Federal Gazette.

LATE AND IMPORTANT!

Arrived this forenoon, brig Joſeph, captain Hopkins, 28 days from Malaga.—Captain H. informs, that he ſaw a letter from captain Traſk at Madrid, dated January 2, to the houſe of Gonzignon & Co. at Malaga, which mentioned, that he (captain Traſk) ſaw a letter from Paris, dated 27th December, at which time the American commiſſioners had not been received; and that little or no notice was taken of them.

From the Boſton Centinel.

FROM MALAGA.

Our marine journal will ſhew there was an arrival yeſterday from Malaga, in 28 days. A number of letters were received—They contain nothing material, except, that at the laſt dates of the Paris accounts (Dec. 27th) the extra envoys of the United States, had not been accredited by the French Directory.

NEW-YORK, *February* 17.

Our readers will recollect an extraordinary letter from a Boſton paper, was lately publiſhed in the Argus, reſpecting the murder of O. Johnſon; the following, no leſs extraordinary remark, is taken from a Boſton paper alſo, but of a later date.

"On the receipt of the above mentioned letter, the hand writing, by examination, was found to compare with that of one George H. Pike, of Norwich, in this ſtate, who was Johnſon's intimate acquaintance, and had formerly done ſome writing for him. Means were, therefore, immediately taken for having Pike arreſted; and on Monday he was taken at Norwich. The original letter being ſhewn him, he ſaid, without heſitation, or apparent confuſion, that he wrote it at New-York, by the requeſt of Johnſon, who being deeply involved in debt, had decamped with all the money he could collect; and that the letter was deſigned to deceive his creditors into a belief of his death. It is ſaid that Johnſon's wife received a previous letter, explaining the object of the above. Pike is conveyed to Hartford priſon, to wait a further clearing up of this dark buſineſs."

February 20.

A reſpectable French gentleman informs us, that advices are received at Philadelphia, by a young gentleman from his father, a reſident at Guadaloupe, acquainting him with a ſecond inſurrection having broken out there, and that a ſevere conteſt had enſued between the whites and negroes, in which 900 of the latter and 200 of the former were killed. No particulars were mentioned. This article was received by letter from Philadelphia, and our informant thinks it merits full confidence.

PHILADELPHIA, *February* 19.

Extract of a letter from Norfolk of the 8th inſt.

"I have a letter from my correſpondent at Guernſey, dated the 21ſt December, ſtating the intentions of the Directory as hoſtile to this country, and in conſequence ſome veſſels under American colours which had been taken up to load, had been ſtopped from proceeding under fear that a rupture was unavoidable."

The following reſolution paſſed the Senate of the United States on Wedneſday laſt.

Reſolved, That the ſecretary of the treaſury be and he is hereby directed to obtain from the collectors of the cuſtoms of the principal collecting diſtricts of the United States, an account exhibiting the number and tunnage of the veſſels and the eſtimated value of their cargoes that have been captured or detained ſince the firſt of January, 1796, from their reſpective diſtricts, by or under the authority of foreign nations, diſtinguiſhing the veſſels captured or detained by each nation—and that the ſaid ſecretary lay the reſult of the information ſo obtained as ſoon as may be before the ſenate.

Nautical Improvements.

The ſubſcriber, late captain of the brig Nancy, of this port, having in a voyage to the Weſt-Indies, experienced the ſalutary effects of a patent machine, for ventilating the holds of ſhips at ſea, invented by Mr. Benjamin Wynkoop, and conſtructed in ſaid brig? doth certify, that the ſaid machine, worked by the motion of the veſſel at ſea, forced a conſtant current of pure air into the hold, from whence the foul air was thereby expelled, that the ſeamen were remarkably healthy when the crews of moſt of the other veſſels, at the port where the ſaid brig diſcharged her cargo, were very ſickly and many of them died, no diſagreeable ſmell was perceived from the proviſions or bilge water; the veſſel's ſtores and particularly the liquors, were kept preſerved and cooler than common, and the paint in the cabin not diſcoloured as uſual in Weſt-India voyages. As a friend to trade and navigation, the ſubſcriber thinks it is his duty, to recommend this machine to general uſe, and from the facts as ſtated above, he fully believes it may be the means of preſerving the lives of ſhips, and their perſonable cargoes, from the calamitous effects of foul air, confined in the holds of ſhips, and of ſcarcity of water, health and comfort of the paſſengers and ſeamen on board.

HENRY GEDDES.

SAVANNAH, *February* 2.

We learn from Louiſville, that a bill has paſſed both branches of the legiſlature, prohibiting the importation of negroes into this ſtate; to be in operation in ſix months from its paſſing. Carried in the ſenate, 14 to 7, and in the houſe of repreſentatives in nearly the ſame proportion.

NORFOLK, *February* 17.

The day the ſhip Active left Providence, a cauſe of much importance to the merchants of America was decided on in the court of admiralty, in the caſe of the ſchooner Paragon, of and from New-York bound to New-Orleans, laden in part by the houſe of Jay and Samuel Watſon, merchants, of New-York; when the property of thoſe gentlemen, amounting to 20,000 dollars, was condemned on the ground of their being Britiſh ſubjects, trading to an enemy's port; although it was fully proved to the ſatisfaction of the court that the ſenior partner of the houſe had been a reſident in America 16 years, and the younger ſeven years—The condemnation ſpecified that no perſon born a Britiſh ſubject, though a length of time reſident in the United States, could enjoy the right of trading to an enemy's port.

The judgment was much reprobated, even in Providence; and the attorney-general has frequently liberated veſſels without trial, brought in under the ſame circumſtances. This deciſion has eſtabliſhed a precedent, the event of which time alone can diſcover.

A St Vincent's paper of the 13th ult. contains the following.

KINGSTON, January 13.

Information was received in town early on Tueſday afternoon from windward that an American veſſel had been captured a little before, by a French privateer, cloſe in with the more at Lambou Bay; in conſequence of which captain Todd, having procured a number of volunteers from the ſhipping and the fort and other neceſſary aſſiſtance, ſailed immediately in purſuit of her, in his ſchooner the Iſabella.—He got ſight of the American in a ſhort time, ſtanding to the ſouthward, which on the night he came up with and re-captured, after firing two guns and a volley of muſketry into her, and carried her into Bequia.—She is the Friendſhip, captain Smith, belonging to Kennebunk. The French prize maſter and three negroes found on board, were brought over on Wedneſday and lodged in gaol. Finding they could not eſcape, they had provitioned and watered the American's boat with the intention of abandoning their prize, in the hope of being able to fall in with their own veſſel, or otherwiſe to reach Guadaloupe. The privateer having ſtood directly to windward, was not ſeen; by the accounts of the prize maſter ſhe is a ſtout veſſel, carrying 8 guns and 72 men, not long from Guadaloupe, and had captured a ſhip and a Jamaica brig; thoſe, however, who ſaw her from the ſhore, have no idea of her being ſo formidable.

The legiſlature, which met on Thurſday, having taken into conſideration the conduct of captain Todd, unanimouſly voted him a piece of plate of the value of 20 guineas, as a mark of the ſenſe they entertained of his ſpirited exertions on the above occaſion, in ſo cheerfully and promptly ſailing in purſuit of the enemy, who, preſuming upon our defenceleſs and abandoned ſtate, had ſo daringly inſulted our coaſt; and the treaſurer was directed to ſend to Martinique to have the ſame made.

By virtue of a writ of *venditioni exponas* to me directed by the juſtices of Anne Arundel county court, will be EXPOSED to PUBLIC SALE, on the fourth Monday of March next, on the premiſes, about two miles from Hearing Creek church,

A TRACT of land called SMITH's DELIGHT, containing one hundred acres, it being the property of SAMUEL MAYNARD, and taken to ſatisfy a debt due to JAMES HEIGH and JOSEPH WILKINSON, executors of Elizabeth Heigh. The ſale to commence at twelve o'clock.

RICHARD HARWOOD, Late ſheriff of Anne-Arundel county.
February 27, 1798.

NOTICE is hereby given, that I intend to apply to Anne-Arundel county court, at the next term, for a commiſſion to mark and bound a tract of land, in ſaid county, called PART OF PORTLAND MANOR, agreeably to an act of aſſembly for marking and bounding lands.

w4 MARY WEEMS.
February 23, 1798.

To be SOLD, at PUBLIC VENDUE, on the 12th of March next, if fair, if not the firſt fair day, at the late dwelling houſe of Mr. JOSEPH MEEK, jun.

PART of the PERSONAL PROPERTY of JOSEPH MEEK, jun. deceaſed, conſiſting of ſundry perſonal property. The ſale to commence between the hours of ten and twelve o'clock in the forenoon on the terms for caſh. And on the 13th of March, the reſidue of the perſonal property of ſaid Joſeph Meek will be expoſed for ſale, at the farm of Mr. William Hammond, generally called Catling, on the ſame time as before mentioned, and on like terms, by me,

JOHN MEEK, Executor of Joſeph.

N.B. All perſons indebted to ſaid eſtate are requeſted to make immediate payment, and thoſe who have claims to exhibit their accounts for payment.
February 8, 1798.

RAN away from the subscriber, a negro boy named DICK. Whoever takes up the said boy, and delivers him to me, shall receive ONE CENT REWARD, paid by

EDW. TILLMING, Sen.

February 12, 1798.

COMMITTED to my custody as runaways, two negro men, who committed on January 22d by the name of DAVY, who says that he belongs to Mr. Wilkinson Howard's Mill, in Frederick county, and is about 30 years of age, 5 feet 6 inches high, of dark complexion, has on and had with him when committed, a white broad cloth coat, black cloth jacket, oznaburg shirt, and old breeches, all much worn together, old hose and old shoes, has a scar on his right foot, and the first joint of the first finger of his right eye. The other committed on February 1st, by the name of PETER, has down lays his name is MAT, and that he belongs to Mr. BAGTLE MOSS,

of Anne Arundel county, is about 5 feet 4 inches high, fourteen or fifteen years old, has on and had with him when committed, a dark mixed cotton jacket, oznaburg shirt, and tanned breeches, a pair of white yarn stockings, a pair of shoes, and an old hat. The owners are desired to come and take them away in two months from their several dates, or they will be sold for their prison fees and other expences according to law.

JOHN WELSH, Sheriff of Anne Arundel county.

February 1, 1798.

A LIST of lands and lots of land in Allegany county, held by persons not residents of said county, the amount of the taxes thereon respectively due for the year 1797, and the names of the persons respectively chargeable with the payment of the same. The taxes therein being now due and unpaid, and no personal property can be found in Allegany county liable for or chargeable with the payment of the same.

Names of Land.	Tax.			Names of persons.
1 Lot town of Cumberland	0	1	1½	Hermanus Aldricks.
Good Hope		17	8½	Jonathan Boucher.
The Hotel	1	6	11½	James Brooke.
Elk Lick		4	9½	James Beatty.
Refurvey on Elk Lick		8	5½	James Beatty.
Rocky Ridge		6	8½	James Beatty.
Refurvey on Elk Lick		8	5½	James Beatty.
1 Lot town of Cumberland		1	1½	Thomas J. Beatty.
Henry's Meadow and Mount Parnassus	1	7	5½	John Burgess.
4 Lots town of Cumberland		10	5½	John Beall.
Hilton's Chace		12	7	John Beall.
7 Lots town of Cumberland		8	0½	Blackburn and Brent.
Refurvey on Crefap's Advice		5	1	Charles Beatty.
Refurvey on Crefap's Neglect	0	12	0½	Charles Beatty.
2 Lots town of Cumberland		2	3½	William D. Beall.
1 Lot town of Cumberland		1	1½	William M. Beall.
Fortlip and Refurvey		18	5	Thomas Beatty.
Refurvey on Miller's Delight	1	6	3	Thomas Beatty.
Republican	1	3	8½	Thomas Beatty.
Cranberry Swamp		2	5½	Thomas Beatty.
Joseph's Folly		2	2½	Thomas Beatty.
Mill Seat		2	2	Thomas Beatty.
Loll Glove		1	6½	Thomas Beatty.
Flowery Meads		18	1½	Thomas Beatty.
That's All		12	11½	Jeremiah Berry, 3d.
Milly's Chance		18	2½	Jeremiah Berry, 3d.
Chance		8	6½	Jeremiah Berry, 3d.
Biggerstaff's Beginning			6½	William Biggerstaff.
Discovery			8½	Thomas C. Brent.
Bottom		5	8½	George Cooke.
Shawney War	1	0	9½	John Chisholm.
William and Mary	5	14	7	Davidson and Muir.
Ormes Mistake		18	7	Uriah Forrett.
Ormes Trouble		7	9½	Uriah Forrett.
The General's Wish		12	7½	Uriah Forrett.
The Granary	1	2	9½	George French.
Durham	1	0	0½	George French.
Beaver Dam		14	4	Samuel Greenup.
Mount Hope	0	1	10	Samuel Godman.
Come by Chance	1	14	11½	Samuel Hanson.
Black Oak Ridge			11½	George Hoffman.
Promised Land	3	8	9	Thomas Johnson.
Thomas and Anne	5	14	7	Thomas Johnson.
Peace and Plenty	4	5	11½	Thomas Johnson.
700 State Lots	33	8	5	Thomas Johnson.
Three Springs		6	3½	Baker Johnson.
Covent Garden	6	8	4	Baker Johnson.
Mount Pleasant	2	17	3½	Baker Johnson.
The Grove	2	0	5½	Baker Johnson.
Kindness	5	8	10½	Baker Johnson.
Part of Mount Airy		6	8½	Thomas and Baker Johnson.
Lee's Choice	1	2	11	William Lee.
Savage Ridge	2	10		Randolph B. Latimer.
Small Meadows	14	7	10½	Lloyd and Paca.
Hunting Ground		11	5	Lloyd and Paca.
Buck Bones	1	8	7½	Lloyd and Paca.
Rich Glade		8	9	Lloyd and Paca.
Blooming Rose	4	11	7½	James Murray and John Muir.
Partnership	1	2		Ebenezer Macky.
The Refurvey		5	10½	Jacob Miller.
Mill Seat		7	3½	John Orme.
Felicity		7	10½	John Orme.
Price's Choice	2	5	4	William Potts.
Hieche's Discovery	2	17	5½	William Potts.
Rich Glade		17	6½	Thomas Price.
Good Spring		14	4	Richard Potts.
The Granary		19		Charles P. Polk.
Sance Panca		9	1½	Charles P. Polk.
Dunghill	1	12	1½	Walter Roe.
Governor's Neglect	1	1	7½	Gustavus Scott.
Boohy's Delight		12	0½	Gustavus Scott.
Ormes Attention		19	7½	Gustavus Scott.
Land flowing with Milk and Honey	9	8	8½	Robert Smith.
Clover Bottom		9	1	Robert Smith.
Cattle Hill		1	5½	George Scott.
Dumfries		13	9	George Scott.
Walnut Bottom	1	10	11½	George Scott.
Durham	1	9	2½	George Scott.
Shepherd's Path		4	10½	Daniel Trotter.
Freeman's Fraud Detected		2	10½	Arthur Watson.
Hogmire's Neglect		3	5	Arthur Watson.
Davis's Luck			6½	Richard Davis.
Richard's Fortune			5	Richard Davis.
North Pole		1	8½	Joseph Ellis.
1 Lot Crefap's town			8½	Jacob Endlow.
Columbus			11½	George Evertsen.
Strife	0	1	8½	Thomson Friend.
Disappointment			8½	John Hoggeman.
Sugar Land			10	Henry Knapp, and Lawrence Kemple.
Pleasant			7½	
Bee-tree		4	8½	Mountsuffin Johnson.
Stony Land		2	2	David M'Mahon.
Bull Pasture	1	2	10½	Pearsell & Rogers.
Mistake		8	10½	Jacob Shymer.
William and Joseph's Amendment		6	4	Wm. and Joseph Scott.
1 Lot Crefap's town			8½	James Starr.
Chance		1	0	James Smith.
1 Lot town of Cumberland		1	1½	John Coleman.
Whiteoak Flat		4	10½	Frederick Grammer.
1 Lot town of Cumberland		3	5½	Lawrence Henicl.
Walnut Ridge		2	11½	Frederick Grammer.
Lot No. 188 Cumberland		1	7	Jacob Eigenfritz.
1 Lot town of Cumberland		1	1½	Henry Kemp.
Name unknown	1	8	7½	John R. Key.
1 Lot town of Cumberland		2	3½	Christopher Keslhover.
Retreat		2		Christopher Keslhover.
1 Lot town of Cumberland		1	1½	James M'Pherton.
Well Thoughts of		3	2	James M'Callister.
1 Lot town of Cumberland			8½	John Orr.
2 Lot town of Cumberland		2	3½	Francis Thomas.
Lot No. 13 Cumberland			8½	John Watts.
Kill M'Kee		19	8	Thomas White.
Long Hollow		3	10½	James Keeny.
Name unknown		7	3½	Hugh Riley.
Friendship Refurvey		15	1	Richard Ridgely.
Chance		5	11½	James Smith.
Rocky Hollow		1	11	Benjamin Pustman.
Cullam's Lot		10	8½	John Spurrier.
Yankee Hall		13	1	Joseph Compton.
Part of Saint-George		15	6	Nicholas Gassaway.
Mill Seat		2	10½	Nicholas Gassaway.
Lots and Gain		10	3½	Nicholas Gassaway.
Walnut Ridge		5	5½	Nicholas Gassaway.
Refurvey on Saint-George		7	2	Nicholas Gassaway.
Sally's Chance		5	4½	Thomas Gassaway.
First Discovery		2	2	Thomas Gassaway.
Gassaway's Pieces		7	11½	Thomas Gassaway.
Robinett's Victory	1	5	0½	Thomas Gassaway.
Part of Saint-George and Timber plenty	2	10	5	Thomas Gassaway.
Deer Park		6	1½	Sarah Gassaway.
Addition to Walnut Ridge		1	7	Sarah Gassaway.
Walnut Ridge		3	5½	Sarah Gassaway.
Part of Robinett's Victory		10	3	Sarah Gassaway.
Addition to Deer Park		2	2½	Sarah Gassaway.
Moore's Choice	1	9	0½	William Moore.
Moore's Amendment	0	4	8½	William Moore.
Independence			6	Jonathan Swift.
Federal Iron Mine			1½	Jonathan Swift.
Republican Iron Mine			2	Jonathan Swift.
Maryland Iron Mine			3½	Jonathan Swift.
South West Washington		1	3	Jonathan Swift.
Part of Sugar Bottom		5	9	Elisha Claiton.
Mount Misery		2	2	William Groves.
Groves's Amendment		1	1½	William Groves.
Barnett's Discovery		6	10½	William Gracy.
Mount Gilboa		2	3½	William Gracy.
Name unknown		2	6½	Barnett Groves.
Part of Beef and Chickens		2	2	Joseph Groves.
Walnut Level		14	4	Thomas Hanson.
Part of Sugar Bottom	2	17	3½	Thomas Hanson.
Dogwood Plains		17	2½	Thomas Hanson.
Horse Lick	1	2	11	Thomas Hanson.
Snick Snack		3	4	Samuel Jacob.
Nonsuch		8	10½	Samuel Jacob.
Name unknown		1	5	John C. Jones.
Horse Pasture		9	5	John I. Jones.
Part of Sugar tree Camp		5	9	John C. Jones.
Green Bark Landing		0	0½	John I. Jacob.
Big Sycamore		0	1	John I. Jacob.
Fat Bacon		2	11½	John I. Jacob.
Jacob's Pieces	0	4	10	John I. Jacobs.
Mill Seat		1	11½	John H. Stone, and John Davidson.
Flora's Goodwill		6	7	Henry Warfield.
Ginfang		1	1½	Patrick Doran.
Non Parrell	3	0	1	Daniel Grant.
Sugar tree Bottom		12	10½	John Swann.
Deer Park	1	1	1½	John Swann.
Both ends of the Bush	1	5	6½	John Swann.
Sugar Bottom		13	2½	John Swann.
Addition to Dumfries		11	4½	John Swann.
Robert's Inheritance	2	9	8½	John Swann.
Addition to John's Prospect		17	8½	John Swann.
Swantylvania	2	11	6½	John Swann.
West Point	1	19	7½	John Swann.
Robert's Inheritance and John's Prospect united		8	11½	John Swann.
Addition to Deer Park		16	2	John Swann.
Sportsman's Fields	1	4	0½	John Swann.
Williamson's Discovery	1	14	4½	John Swann.
Part of White walnut Bottom		9	2½	John Swann.
Part of Buck Range	1	2	9	John Swann.
Part of Sandy Spring		9	6½	John Swann.
The Pieces	1	3	11½	John Swann.
Refurvey on White walnut level	3	11	6	John Swann.
Neglect	9	11	8	John Swann.
Charles's Disappointment	1	3	2½	John Swann.
Dogwood Flats	7	12	4	John Swann.
Forewarning		8	6½	John Swann.
Basil's Scrape		8	6½	John Swann.
Charles's Disappointment		15	6½	John Swann.
Part of White Walnut Level		1	6½	John Swann.
Part of Buck Range		11	1	John Swann.
Part of Sandy Spring		4	9	John Swann.

Number of Lots westward of Fort Cumberland.			
298	0	2	10½ Catharine Boyer.
315		2	10½ Catharine Boyer.
326		2	10½ Catharine Boyer.
2401			11½ Lawrence Brengle.
2402			11½ Lawrence Brengle.
2403			11½ Lawrence Brengle.
2404			11½ Lawrence Brengle.
913			11½ Valentine Brothers.
297		1	8¼ Michael Boyer.
436		1	8¼ Michael Boyer.
2473		1	11½ Peter Caſſanave.
2474		1	11½ Peter Caſſanave.
2475		1	11½ Peter Caſſanave.
2476		1	11½ Peter Caſſanave.
301		2	2 Jacob Clabaugh.
3163			11½ Samuel Davis.
2180			11½ Adam Fadly.
2182			11½ Adam Fadly.
266			11½ Charles Gliſſan.
3194			11½ Levy Hughes.
3195			11½ id.
3196			11½ id.
3197			11½ id.
3896		2	2 Randolph B. Latimer.
3897		2	2 id.
3898		2	2 id.
3899		2	2 id.
3900		2	2 id.
3901		2	2 id.
3902		2	2 id.
2709		1	11¼ Peter Mantz.
2710		1	11¼ id.
2719		1	11¼ id.
2720		1	11¼ id.
1142			11½ James R. Morris.
11			11½ id.
1295			11½ William Melay.
3115			11½ id.
458		1	8¼ John Neill.
1621		1	8¼ id.
1182		1	8¼ id.
1920		1	8¼ id.
95		1	8¼ id.
131			11½ William H. Parke.
1792			11½ William H. Parke.
334			11½ George Roſoe.
311		1	8¼ James Reede.
2700			11½ Samuel Smith.
2703			11½ id.
2704			11½ id.
2698			11½ id.
4131			11½ id.
4133			11½ id.
4135			11½ id.
4137			11½ id.
3214			11½ id.
3215			11½ id.
3216			11½ id.
3217			11½ id.
1578			11½ id.
1579			11½ id.
1580			11½ id.
1632			11½ id.
2760			11½ id.
2761			11½ id.
2762			11½ id.
2763			11½ id.
4113	2		10½ John Suter.
3267			11½ Joſeph Swann.
3268			11½
3269			11½
3270			11½
283	1		1¼ Philip L. Webſter.
1435	1		1¼ id.
3808	1	5	Joſeph Dic.
3809	1	5	id.
1339			11½ John Gephart.
3756			11½ Samuel M'Deigle.
3623	1		11½ Philip B. Key.
	1		8¼ Patrick Doran.
1	2	2	John Templeman.
2	2	2	id.
313	2	3¾	id.

NOTICE is hereby given, that unleſs the county charges due on the lands as aforeſaid ſhall be paid to Roger Perry, Eſquire, collector of Allegany county, on or before the firſt day of July next, the lands ſo charged as aforeſaid, or ſuch part thereof as may be neceſſary to raiſe the ſum due thereon, ſhall be ſold to the higheſt bidder for the payment of the ſame.

JOHN H. BAYARD, THOMAS CRESAP, HANSON BRISCOE, } Comm'rs Tax, Allegany cty.

Cumberland, Dec. 9, 1797.

Will be SOLD, at PUBLIC SALE, at the late dwelling of THOMAS BOYD, deceaſed, in Prince-George's county, on Friday the ſecond of March next,

SUNDRY NEGROES, conſiſting of women and children, alſo ſome ſtock and houſehold furniture. The terms are, for cash only.

MARGARET BOYD, Adminiſtratrix of THOMAS BOYD.

THE ſubſcriber hereby forewarns all perſons from hunting with either dog or gun on his land, or in his incloſures, in Anne-Arundel county, lying on Shorter's and Filhing creeks, and from Short Gut to Hacket's Point, or treſpaſſing in any manner after the date hereof.

February 19, 1798. JAMES MOSS.

In COUNCIL, Annapolis, January 23, 1798.

ORDERED, That the reſolutions paſſed by the general aſſembly at their laſt ſeſſion, reſpecting certificates and bills of credit, be publiſhed eight weeks ſucceſſively, in one of the Philadelphia and Alexandria news-papers, and in one of the Baltimore, Frederick-town and Eaſton papers, and the Maryland Gazette.

By the HOUSE of DELEGATES,
December 26, 1797.

Reſolved, That the treaſurer of the weſtern ſhore be, and he is hereby authoriſed to pay off and diſcharge the principal and intereſt due on all certificates heretofore iſſued by the ſtate of Maryland, other than thoſe diſtinguiſhed as fraudulent ones, provided the ſame are brought into the treaſury for payment, on or before the firſt day of October, 1798.

Reſolved, That all holders of certificates heretofore iſſued and funded by the ſtate of Maryland, bring the ſame to the treaſury of the weſtern ſhore for payment of principal and intereſt, on or before the firſt day of October next, and that no intereſt on any certificates heretofore iſſued, which ſhall accrue after the ſaid firſt day of October, 1798, ſhall be paid thereafter, nor the principal ſum until after the end of the next ſeſſion of aſſembly.

Reſolved, That ſuch part of the five months pay, due to the officers and ſoldiers of the Maryland line, and due for ſervices on board the barges, as ſhall not be demanded of the treaſurer of the weſtern ſhore, on or before the firſt day of October, 1798, be not paid to any perſon or perſons demanding any part of the ſame thereafter, but be ſubject to ſuch appropriation as ſhall hereafter be declared.

Reſolved, That the treaſurer of the weſtern ſhore be, and he is hereby authoriſed, to pay off and diſcharge the amount of principal and intereſt of ſuch bills of credit, of the emiſſion under the act of June, 1780, as may be produced and brought into the treaſury, on or before the firſt day of October next.

Reſolved, That if the holders of bills of credit, emitted in virtue of the act of June ſeſſion, 1780, do not bring the ſame into the treaſury of the weſtern ſhore for payment, on or before the firſt day of October, 1798, that all intereſt from that time ceaſe thereon, and the principal not to be paid until after the end of the next ſeſſion of aſſembly.

Reſolved, That the reſolutions paſſed at the laſt ſeſſion of aſſembly, for limitting the time to the firſt of July laſt for bringing in certificates for payment be, and the ſame are hereby reſcinded.

By order, W. HARWOOD, clk.

Thus endorſed;

By the ſenate, December 26, 1797: Read the firſt time and ordered to lie on the table.

By order, A. VAN-HORN, clk.

By the ſenate, December 29, 1797: Read the ſecond time and aſſented to.

By order, A. VAN-HORN, clk.

A LIST of LETTERS remaining in the Poſt-Office Annapolis, which will be ſent to the General Poſt-Office as dead letters, if not taken up before the firſt day of April next.

MR. ALLEN, on board the Ranger, Annapolis.

Nicholas Brice (2), Aza Beall, Thomas Barber, Annapolis; Richard Booth, Weſt river.

Right rev. Thos. J. Claggett, D. D. care of William Cooke, John Callahan, William Coe, Annapolis.

John Davidſon, Joſhua Dorſey (2), Benjamin Doctor, Benjamin Dulany (2), Annapolis.

John Gwinn (2), Mr. Guerin (2), William Gilmour, Annapolis; John Galloway Son, Weſt river.

William Hammond, Samuel Harvey Howard, Zeb. Hollingſworth (3), Annapolis; William Harwood, Richard Harriſon, Anne-Arundel county.

Henry Johnſton, Annapolis.

Providence Lane, care of John Brice, Mr. Langlois, Thomas Liſhey (3), Annapolis.

Robert Milligan, John M'Iver, Richard Mackubin (2), Gilbert Murdoch, Annapolis; Joſeph Maccubbin, Anne-Arundel county.

Edward Nicholls, Annapolis.

Martin O'Dunigg, Annapolis.

Poſtmaſter, Thomas Pyper, Smith Price, Annapolis.

Henry Ridgely, Benjamin Ringgold, care of John Galloway, John Ridgely, John Rue, care of William Logan, Annapolis.

Sheriff elect of Anne-Arundel county, James Steele, Annapolis.

Colonel Tootle, J. A. Taraſcon, John Taylor, Annapolis.

Levin Winder, Eliz. Whitewood, capt. H. Wilſon, on board the ſchooner Felicity (2), Annapolis; John Weems, jun. Herring creek.

John Young, Annapolis.

S. GREEN, D. P. M.

None of the above letter will be delivered without the money. January 1, 1798.

By virtue of a writ of *venditioni exponas*, to me directed by the judges of the general court, will be EXPOSED to PUBLIC SALE, on the premiſes, on the fifteenth day of March next, for READY CASH,

THE following lands, to wit: HENRY'S PARK, Part of CONCLUSION, Part of INVASION, and Part of CUMBERLAND; the whole is ſuppoſed to contain five hundred and forty acres, more or leſs, being the property of WILLIAM RUSSELL, and which were taken to ſatisfy a judgment obtained by JOHN MOALE againſt ſaid Ruſſell. The ſale will commence at twelve o'clock.

RICHARD HARWOOD, Late ſheriff of Anne-Arundel county.

February 1, 1798.

To be SOLD, at PUBLIC SALE, on the firſt Monday in March next, on the premiſes, if fair, if not the firſt fair day enſuing,

THAT valuable and well known plantation whereon JOSEPH GALLOWAY now dwells, ſituated on Weſt river, in Anne-Arundel county, containing about 980 acres of very valuable land, the ſituation high and healthy, commanding an extenſive and beautiful view of the Cheſapeake Bay, Weſt river and Herring Bay. In a fine ſporting country, and convenient to fine oyſters, fiſh, and wild fowl in the proper ſeaſons, great part of the land is of the firſt quality, and lays level, with abundance of meadow ground, and a ſufficiency of wood land with care and attention to ſupply the uſes of a farm. The title ſecure, and conveyance will be executed to the purchaſer on payment of the purchaſe money, and it will be ſold on a credit of one, two, and three years; and at the ſame time and place will be ſold 48 valuable ſlaves, conſiſting of men, women, and children, 30 head of cattle, and 11 horſes and mules. Purchaſers to any amount not exceeding £. 20 to pay caſh, above that ſum to give bond, with approved ſecurity, payable in 12 months. All perſons having claims againſt Joſeph Galloway are requeſted to produce them to the ſubſcribers, on or before the day of ſale, properly authenticated.

JOHN GALLOWAY, DAVID LYNN, } Truſtees for ſale of ſaid eſtate.

January 10, 1798.

IT being determined by the War Department of the United States to eſtabliſh a recruiting rendezvous at Port-Tobacco, in the State of Maryland, under the direction of lieutenant Samuel T. Dyſon, notice is hereby given, that propoſals will be received, until the fourth day of March next, at the ſubſcriber's office, in Gay-ſtreet, Baltimore, or by Samuel Hanſon, (of Walter) Eſq; at Port-Tobacco aforeſaid, for furniſhing, by contract, during the preſent year, 1798, ſuch rations and quarter-maſters articles as may be required for the uſe of the recruits at the ſaid rendezvous.—The rations are to be compoſed of

One pound of bread or flour,
Ditto of beef, or ¾ of a pound of pork,
Half a gill of rum, brandy or whiſkey,
One quart of ſalt,
Two ditto vinegar,
Two pounds of ſoap,
One ditto of ſoap, } Per 100 rations.

JOHN KILTY, Supervisor of the revenue for Maryland.

February 15, 1798.

In purſuance of a decree of the High Court of Chancery of the State of Maryland, will be EXPOSED to PUBLIC SALE, on the ſixth day of March next, at Leonard town,

THE following tracts or parcels of LAND, late the property of TOWNSEND EDEN, deceaſed, lying in Saint-Mary's county, viz. COLE'S ADVENTURE, part of NEALE'S LOT RESURVEYED, and WOLF HOLES, containing in the whole about five hundred acres; on this land is a large elegant brick dwelling houſe, and an abundance of fine oak timber. They will be ſold on the following terms; the purchaſer to give bond, with ſecurity, to pay one half the purchaſe money, and intereſt, within one year from the time of ſale, and the reſidue of the principal, and intereſt thereon, within two years from the time of ſale, to be ratified and approved by the chancellor, and conveyances in fee-ſimple for the ſaid property, for all the eſtate, right, title and intereſt, in ſaid lands, which was in Townſend Eden, and now in James Eden, an infant, which hath deſcended to him from Townſend Eden his father, will be made to the reſpective purchaſers on payment of the purchaſe money, and not before. A more particular deſcription of the ſeveral lands, with their reſpective advantages and incumbrances, will be detailed at the time and place of ſale. The ſubſcriber will ſhew the ſaid lands at any time to any perſon diſpoſed to become a purchaſer.

RICHARD BOND, Truſtee for ſale of ſaid lands.

Chaptico, January 29, 1798.

COMMITTED to me as a runaway yeſterday, the 4th of this month, a negro man, who ſays his name is LEWIS, that he was the property of Mr. ROBERT CARTER, who ſome years ago reſided in Virginia, but is now an inhabitant of Baltimore, that he ran away from Virginia near two years ago, ever ſince which time he has been in this county; he is a likely fellow, of a yellow colour, appears to be about twenty-five years of age, five feet eight or nine inches high; his cloathing a ſtriped nankeen coat, muſlinet jacket, nankeen long breeches, a good ruffled ſhirt, ſhoes, ſtockings, and hat. The owner is deſired to take him away within two months from the date, or he will be ſold for his priſon fees and other charges.

ZACH. FORREST, Sheriff of St. Mary's county.

February 5, 1798.

THE ſubſcriber hereby forewarns all perſons from hunting with either dog or gun on his lands, lying in Anne-Arundel county, on Deep Creek, formerly the property of Stephen Steward, deceaſed.

JOHN GWINN.

Annapolis, October 24, 1797.

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